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To LEONID. [1]

Reference No. 189.[a] We agree to your proposal. Let "SPARTACUS[SPARTAK]"[ii] remain at your place until [11 groups unrecovered]. The police have discovered that he is [B% in ISTANBUL]. What help does he need from us? The question of restoring his citizenship and queshing his sentence, which might get in the way of his roturning to his native country, will apparently be resolved by a decree of the new government - [1 group unrecovered]. If not he should use his British contacts. We, of course, shall not raise any obstacles. Set "SPARTACUS" the following tasks:

- To restore his business and political connections and achieve a firm position
 as a liberal-Remograt (forbid contact with Communists and [Qi participation]
 groups unrecovered]).
- 2. To bring to light overt and secret agent networks of foreign intelligence services [3 groups unrecovered] students, State officials, journalists and the like in his country, use [2 groups unrecovered] intelligence services against [12 groups unrecovered] (legally or illegally). Detailed instructions about "[0; SPARTACUS]"

[16 groups unrecovered]

No. 5035

VIKTOR[iii]

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[Note and Comments overleaf]



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Note: [a] Internal Serial of ISTAMBUL's Not. 180-181 of 25th October 1944 (not yet available).

Comments: [i] LEONID:

Unidentified ISTANBUL addressee.

[ii] SPARTACUS: Unidentified cover-name.

[iii] VIKTOR:

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